

Minutes

Glendive Job Service Employers Committee

March 6, 2007

Room 144 Dawson Community College

MEMBERS PRESENT Jim Germann Glendive Schools

> Lee Boyles Glendive Medical Center Tim Wall Community First Bank Horizons/Iba Drilling Peg Iba

Nick Haag **MDU** Steve Olson Job Service Lonnie Cross Job Service

MEMBERS ABSENT Bill Wade Mid-Rivers

> **Dawson Community College** Pat Cunningham Sandi McGovern Glendive Medical Center Kim Trangmoe Chamber of Commerce & Ag Cindy Berg Eastern Montana Industries

Valerie Limesand Boys and Girls Club

CALL TO ORDER 12:15 Tim Wall, Treasurer

MINUTES Emailed to all members

Iba/Haag Moved to accept as submitted

TREASURER'S REPORT February financials were presented by Tim Wall:

Feb Expense: Job Service Open House flowers \$ 33.00 **Supplies** 13.88 Memorial for Pvt Zeimer 50.00 **TOTAL Expense** \$ 96.88 Feb Income: 1.82 Interest

BALANCE \$2996.51

CORRESPONDENCE None

OLD BUSINESS

BUSINESS ADVISORY No action taken today.

NEWSLETTER Went out as planned. The email list has grown to 183, leaving 233 to be hardcopied and U.S. mailed.

STEVE BECK SEMINAR

Committee: Sandi McGovern, Cindy Berg, Bill Wade, Nick Haag

Tim will be available for morning and afternoon registration duty as will Cindy Berg and Lee Boyles. We are in search of a lapel mike {one was located with Brenda Stockert in Early Childhood Educationit belongs to her program and she is quite protective of it as it has been lost and broken! Everything is on track for the seminar. JSEC will pay for Steve's motel room—Lonnie reserved a Comfort Inn room. If anything comes up, Lonnie will let the committee know.

SCHOLARSHIP Pat Cunningham, Bill Wade, Lee Boyles will review the applications and choose the winners. The scholarship(s) will be awarded at \$500. No decisions or announcements were made about the NUMBER of scholarships that will be awarded. Sharon Lindquist will make completing the scholarship part of the JMG curriculum, so we may see a fair number from that class. Depending on the outcome of the Beck Seminar, we may be able to offer multiple scholarships this year. Lonnie will gather the applications after the due date from the schools and get copies to the raters.

Jim Germann mentioned that the Dollars for Scholars project brought in \$1500 this year—excellent amount for this telephone effort by students.

STATE MEETING May 21-24 in Bozeman Pat Cunningham has committed to attending the State Meeting this year. Anyone else who is interested/available/able to go is welcome, too, and there is still time to sign up! Each local is expected to bring an item for the silent auction (fund raiser for the MSEC). The group decided to purchase \$50 worth of Western Trails food from our local business.

NEW BUSINESS

JSEC CLASSIC Tim Wall, Classic Chair, reported that Chuck, Cottonwood Country Club Manager, has not returned from the "south" yet. Tim is confident that by next meeting Chuck will be back and we'll have the date set. (Reminder: Valerie Limesand has experience working on this type of fund raiser, and is interested in being involved.)

CAREER FAIR We accomplished a Career Fair in March of 2006—the 05-06 school year, and decided that it should be any every-other-year project. That would be next school year. Should we plan a fall event rather than a spring event for the 07-08 school year.

Should we talk some more about the employers in school idea that we did in Wibaux? We seem to run into an unwillingness on the teachers' part to give up class time at the high school level.

Maybe we should look at talking to Middle School rather than High School students. The Middle School used to do a Real Life Fair. They didn't this year.

More discussion needed on this topic.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS Nominations were made: Chair—Bill Wade, Vice Chair—Sandi McGovern and Valerie Limesand, Treasurer—Tim Wall. Iba/German move these nominations be accepted. Election will occur at the April meeting.

ADJOURN 12:50 p.m.

NEXT MEETING April 11, 2007 12:00 noon

Prairie Development Center

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